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## **ELECTION AND AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to an Office Action mailed June 29, 2006, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on Page 2 of this Election and Amendment.

Remarks begin on Page 6 of this Election and Amendment.